

TABLE 14. WAITING PERIODS

Waiting Period	Jurisdiction	Compensation retroactive if disability continues for period indicated from date of injury
3 days.....	Alabama (temporary total disability only).....	21 days
	Alaska.....	More than 28 days
	California (temporary total disability only).....	14 days
	Colorado.....	More than 2 weeks
	Connecticut.....	7 days
	Delaware (no waiting period in case of amputation of a member of the body, or a part thereof, or when the injury results in hospitalization of the employee).....	7 days, including date of injury
	District of Columbia.....	More than 14 days
	Hawaii (temporary total disability only).....	10 days
	Illinois (temporary total disability only).....	14 days or more
	Iowa (temporary and permanent total disability).....	More than 14 days
	Maryland.....	More than 14 days
	Minnesota (temporary total disability)	10 days
	Missouri <u>1</u> /.....	More than 14 days
	New Hampshire.....	14 days or more
	Oklahoma.....	None
	Oregon (temporary total disability only).....	14 days (in-patient in hospital receive compensation from date of incapacity)
	Puerto Rico (temporary disability only).....	10 days

1/ **Missouri:** Waiting period is the first three days during which the employer is open for business.

TABLE 14. WAITING PERIODS (cont.)

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3 days..... (cont.)	Rhode Island (total disability only)	More than 2 weeks
	Utah (temporary total disability only).....	More than 14 days
	Vermont (total disability only).....	10 days
	Washington (temporary total disability)	14 days
	West Virginia.....	More than 7 days
	Wisconsin.....	More than 7 days
	Wyoming (temporary total disability only).....	More than 8 days
	United States*: FECA (temporary disability only)...	More than 14 days
	LHWCA.....	More than 14 days
4 days.....	North Dakota.....	5 days
5 days.....	Idaho.....	More than 2 weeks (in-patients in hospital receive compensation from date of incapacity)
	Massachusetts.....	5 or more calendar days
	Mississippi.....	14 days
	Nevada (temporary disability only)...	5 or more consecutive days, or 5 or more cumulative days with- in a 20-day period
6 days.....	Montana <u>2/</u>	No provision

*Federal Employees' Compensation Act; Longshore and Harbor Workers' Act.

2/ Montana: 48 hours (to take into consideration shift work) or 6 days
loss of wages, whichever is less.

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7 days.....	Arizona.....	14 calendar days
	Arkansas.....	2 weeks
	Florida.....	21 days or more
	Georgia.....	21 consecutive days
	Indiana (temporary disability only).. <td>More than 21 days</td>	More than 21 days
	Kansas (temporary total and permanent partial disability.....	3 consecutive weeks
	Kentucky.....	More than 2 weeks
	Louisiana.....	6 weeks
	Maine.....	More than 14 days, except that firemen receive compensation from incapacity
	Michigan.....	2 weeks (retroactive from day of injury if death results)
	Nebraska.....	6 weeks
	New Jersey.....	7 days
	New Mexico.....	4 weeks
	New York.....	More than 14 days
	North Carolina.....	More than 21 days
	Ohio.....	2 weeks (payment for waiting period applies only in cases of total disability)
	Pennsylvania (no waiting period for scheduled injuries).....	14 days or more
	South Carolina.....	More than 14 days
	South Dakota.....	7 consecutive days

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7 days..... (cont.)	Tennessee.....	14 days
	Texas.....	4 weeks
	Virginia.....	More than 3 weeks
0 days.....	Virgin Islands.....	compensation begins after first full day of disability